

Amendment to the Specification:

- 1) Please replace paragraph [0146] at page 1 with the following amended paragraph:

[0146] Moreover, matching of the p40/p19 ligand with the functional receptor of [[DCRS3]] DCRS5 with IL-12R β 1, allows screening for antagonists and agonists with a positive signaling control. Small molecule or antibody screening can be done.